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Title : Fiber-Bundle-Reinforced Composite Material
Having a Ceramic Matrix, Method for
Manufacturing a Composite Material and Method
for Manufacturing Elements Formed of a
Composite Material

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